## **RESOLUTION**

<u>Subject</u>: Searching and apprehending fugitives wanted by the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

The ICPO-INTERPOL General Assembly, meeting in Marrakesh, Morocco, from 5 to 8 November 2007 at its 76th session:

HAVING TAKEN NOTE of the statements of a representative of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda concerning the remaining indicted persons who are still at large, particularly the need to apprehend them before the scheduled closure of the trial process in first instance at the end of December 2008 and before the end of the appeal process scheduled for 31 December 2010,

HAVING REGARD to the serious nature of the crimes involved for which they are accused,

RECALLING Resolution No. AGN/66/RES/10 on the co-operation in searching for persons accused of serious violations of international humanitarian law committed in Rwanda and neighbouring countries between 1 October 1990 and 31 December 1994 adopted by the General Assembly at its 66th Session in New Delhi, from 15 to 21 October 1997,

BEARING IN MIND that Resolution No. AGN/66/RES/10 recommends that the NCBs co-operate with the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, as well as with the Rwandan police and judicial authorities, with a view to identifying, locating and, if in conformity with their national laws, detaining while awaiting extradition, persons accused of serious violations of international humanitarian law committed in Rwanda and neighbouring countries between 1 October 1990 and 31 December 1994 and asks the General Secretariat to assist in searching for such persons;

Noting Article 26 (e) of the INTERPOL's Constitution,

Noting Article 28 of the Statute of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda,

INVITES all Member countries, through their NCBs, to undertake all that is within their powers and compatible with their national legislations, to ensure the widest possible mutual assistance in order to apprehend the above fugitives; before the scheduled end of the trials before the Tribunal;

REQUESTS the General Secretariat to assist INTERPOL Member countries where necessary in order to realise the apprehension of the fugitives, including the production and dissemination of information and photographs of the fugitives and provide co-ordination and operational support.

## Adopted.